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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

☐ No additional fee is required.

☒ The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims*	49 -	44	5	\$18.00/ \$9.00	\$ 45.00
Independent Claims	9 -	7	2	\$84.00/ \$42.00	\$ 84.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$280.00 to additional fee (\$140.00 for small entity).				\$
TOTAL					\$ 129.00

*Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. §1.75(c).

☒ Small entity status is or has been claimed.
Reduced Fees Under 37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) paid herewith \$129.00

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Respectfully submitted,
MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.

Dated: February 25, 2003

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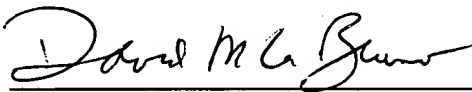
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